

G. COMMENTS BY CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS

- Mayor Pro Tempore Johnson asked to be provided with a copy of the list that Ms. Lea read and suggested that it be addressed during upcoming budget discussions. He commended City Manager King for his work on the Blue Shield project. He recalled asking previously that the matter of alternative work programs be brought back to Council. He recently received a letter regarding a problem on Cherokee Lane; however, it was not signed, and he asked the sender to respond so that he could follow up on the matter.
- Council Member Mounce reported that she recently attended a conference hosted by the Great Valley Center in Sacramento. Topics discussed included sustainable communities, how to approach general plans, air quality, affordable housing, and mass transit. She mentioned that the Lodi City Employees Association donated gifts to the Children's Home of Stockton. She congratulated her parents Dave and Betty Gates for finishing in first and second place in the Walk for the Health of It event that had 1,100 participants.
- Council Member Hansen responded to Ms. Hoff's earlier comment by stating that he did not have a conflict of interest in the Delta College matter as he had nothing to gain financially from the project. He stated that Council understands that some residents are opposed to the location; however, he must weigh the greater good and believed there were significant benefits to the City from this learning institution locating in Lodi. He was not in favor of scheduling an item on the Council agenda at this time because there would be opportunities afforded for public comment through the due diligence process that Delta College is currently undertaking. In response to Ms. Lea's comments, he was opposed to making any changes that would affect electric rates. He warned that if water rates were rescinded the City's ability to maintain the level of service that citizens now enjoy would be drastically effected. He pointed out that more than half the City's budget goes toward public safety.
- • Council Member Beckman distributed a list of meetings he attended during the San Joaquin Council of Governments One Voice event (filed). Over a four-day period, 45 individual meetings were held with a variety of policy makers at various levels.
- Mayor Hitchcock reported that she interviewed 15 candidates for the Youth Commission last Saturday. She mentioned that a joint meeting with the Arts Commission was held yesterday. She thanked Council Member Hansen for clarifying the difference between property rights and speculation in a recent article he wrote that was published in the Lodi News-Sentinel. She asked the City Manager to estimate impacts to the City's budget based on the effects of the Water Rate Reduction initiative passing, i.e. a \$3 million annual decrease for the next 30 years.

H. COMMENTS BY THE CITY MANAGER ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS

- City Manager King mentioned that the topic of the May 23 quarterly utility report will include the status of the Electric Utility budget. At that meeting the general operating reserve at Northern California Power Agency (NCPA) will be discussed. Included in that amount is the \$2.8 million settlement received from PG&E. He believed it would be necessary to use these funds during fiscal year 2005-06. He encouraged the public to attend the May 31 and June 7 City Council meetings, at which the budget will be discussed.

I. PUBLIC HEARINGS

None.

J. COMMUNICATIONS

J-1 Claims filed against the City of Lodi – None

J-2 The following postings/appointments were made:

- a) The City Council, on motion of Council Member Mounce, Beckman second, unanimously made the following appointment:

Lodi Improvement Committee

Abel Miranda

Term to expire March 1, 2008

filed 5-17-06
J. Beckman
Item G

2006 San Joaquin One Voicesm
Contact Information and Meeting Summaries

Monday, April 3, 2006

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Director of Intergovernmental Affairs,
Office of Intergovernmental Affairs
The White House
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Two issues:

- Medicare prescription Part D
- Immigration reform—House more security and enforcement; President insists on temporary worker program — not in bill

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- SAFETEA-LU didn't answer major policy issues — it was mostly concerned with \$\$;
- Didn't reduce environmental assessment issues/time—new NEPA process
- Didn't reduce appeal period to 180 days instead of 6 years (limits exposure)
- Addresses finance issues—but didn't resolve—need to increase gas tax but also need other funding mechanisms, 75% of all new major roads/bridges (over \$500 M) are tolls—moving to direct user fee basic
- Trucks that don't meet AQ standards, diesel emissions a problem needs to be addressed; CMAQ has retrofit \$\$ and a priority for this
- Freight rail capacity and freight in general is huge issue
- More trucks require more infrastructure maintenance—Fed gov. hasn't paid attention

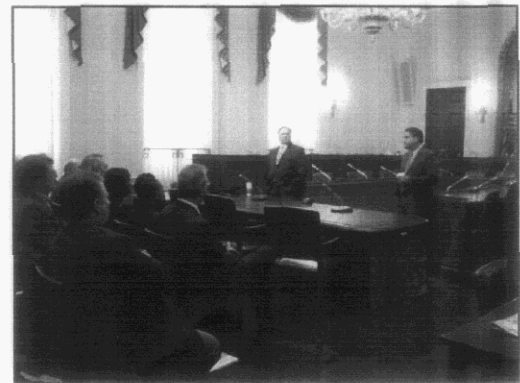


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Issue:

- Public Works Program- Preserve America
- Historic Preservation, Heritage towns
- Link to Dept. of Interior
- Limited grant funds \$30 K to \$150 K—signs, display
- EDA Priority: Regionalism, Innovation, Developing Clusters



Tuesday, April 4, 2006

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Issue ~ Farmington Groundwater & Seasonal Habitat Program:

- Reviewed prior reprogramming by USACE and new direction from Congress, interpreted by USACE to restrict future reprogramming, beginning in FY 2006. Affects SEWD appropriations to date, not yet expended, totaling \$2.8 million. Alternative actions discussed.

Issue ~ MORE Water Project:

- Provided project summary sheet introducing funding need for federal interest in project

Follow-up:

- Christine moving to Sacramento in May
- Meet her replacement in May
- Contact Ruben Barrales on OMB-usage issue
- FY 07 Solution
- Contact Aaron Cutler on legislative potential



The Honorable Roy Blunt, House Majority Whip
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Discussed transportation and immigration issues



The Honorable David Dreier, Chairman
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Discussed opening new markets around the world; reducing import/export tariffs; free trade agreements; earmark reform



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Discussed small business and IRS issues

The Honorable Barbara Boxer, Senator

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Issue: Transportation, Levee Protection, USS Iowa

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Issue ~ Education:

Appropriations: we should contact their office before March 1st each year to assess her support of our program even if Congressman Cardoza or Pombo are supporting us.

Follow-up:

- Contact Ryan Hunt of their office regarding appropriations

The Honorable James L. Oberstar, Ranking Member

House Committee on Transportation & Infrastructure

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Discussed transportation issues

The Honorable Jerry Lewis, Chairman

House Appropriations Committee

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Sean Dillon (202) 225-5861

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Discussed levees, transportation and ESA reform

The Honorable Mike Thompson, Member

House Ways and Means Committee

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Senior member of Blue Dog Coalition;

Discussed Immigration, transportation and agricultural issues

The Honorable Don Young, Chairman

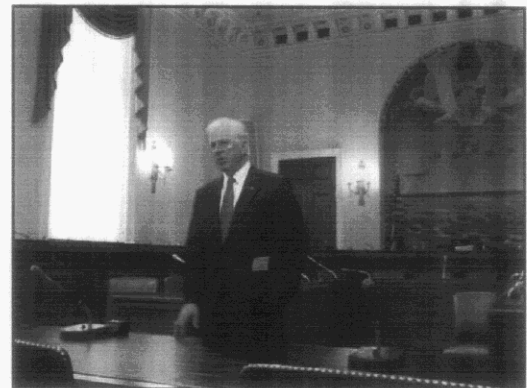
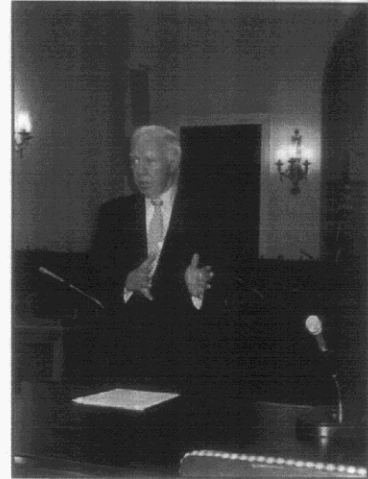
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Discussed water issue and levees; cited Temperance Flat, Raising Shasta Dam, Madera water bank as options



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Issue: Transportation

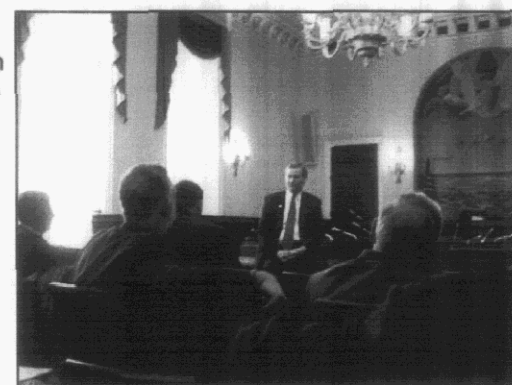
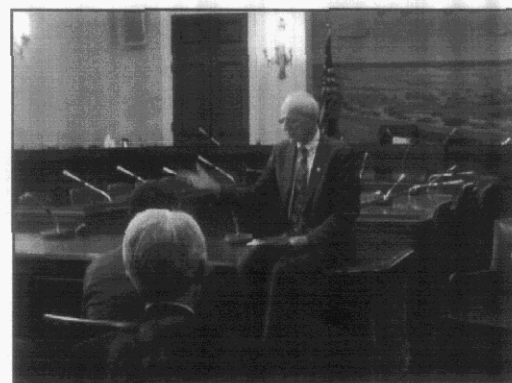
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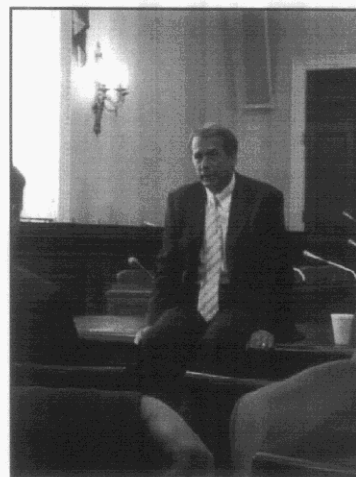
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Issue: Education



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Committee Hearing

Subcommittee on Power and Water

1334 Longworth

Issue: Protecting Sacramento/San Joaquin Bay- Delta Water Supplies and Responding to Catastrophic

Failures in California Water Deliveries

Witnesses: San Joaquin County Supervisor Jack Sieglock, Vice Mayor

Gary S. Giovanetti, Supervisor Victor Mow

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Issue: Transportation, Levee Protection, USS Iowa

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Issue: Stockton Airport



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Issue: Water/Environment

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